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AROUND the TOWNSHIP

To say that the Future Farmers of Washington High who are engaged on agricultural projects are really going to town, puts it mildly.

They've been to town twice in recent weeks. At the Alameda County Fair at Pleasanton the boys knocked 'em over for 47 ribbons and the listed cash awards. Not bad.

Now they come right back and mow 'em down at the Contra Costa Fair at Antioch last week end to the tune of 55 ribbons. Cash proceeds, including a half interest in their third place ag booth, ran up over $200.

Yep, they're Future Farmers.

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Yessir, 700 students transported in seven buses to and from Washington Union High School each morning and evening, when the buses are 49-passenger capacity, figures out just about on the border of a transportation problem. However, some students who live close by will walk and others will provide their own transportation. The registration figure for the coming year is "well over 700." So by each bus making two trips each morning and evening, they can handle the job.

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60,947 residents of Alameda County have suffered cancellation of their voting registrations because of failure to vote in either the primary election or general election of 1938, according to County Clerk G. E. Wade.

In 1938 the great register for Alameda County showed a registration of 306,925. Today there are 245,978.

Besides failure to vote, registrations are cancelled by removal of the resident from the county or even from one precinct to another, by death, by conviction of a crime, by commitment to mental hospital, or by change of name other than by marriage.

The last date for registration is September 28. Wade's office is open and some volunteer deputies have been placed about the county.

Be sure you are registered.

BIBLE SCHOOL TO CLOSE WITH PICNIC

IRVINGTON — A picnic this afternoon will bring to a close the daily vacation Bible school which has been in progress for the last two weeks at the Irvington Community Church. Exhibits from the class room will be on display in the church building over next Sunday.

The daily classes were conducted by Carter McKemy, pastor, assisted by Mrs. McKemy and Misses June and Thelma Van Ike.

WASHINGTON FUTURE FARMERS TO CAMP

CENTERVILLE — Eight members of the Washington Chapter of Future Farmers of America, accompanied by an agricultural instructor of the high school, will be in attendance at Camp Lillard at the California State Fair at Sacramento on September 6. 7 and 8.

The group to attend the Future Farmers camp has not yet been definitely selected.

SET DATE FOR COMMUNION BREAKFAST

ALVARADO—On Sunday, September 17, the Centerville Council of Knights of Columbus will hold the quarterly communion here with mass at 8:30 o'clock in St. Anne's Church, with Rev. Father Flatley in charge.

A breakfast will follow in the I. O. O. F. Hall. B. R. Joseph is chairman of the committee on arrangements.

Joint Installation Of Officers Held By Sons And Daughters

CENTERVILLE—A public joint installation of officers of Washington Parlor No. 169, N. S. G. W. and the Betsy Ross Parlor No. 238, N. D. G. W., was held on last Friday evening at the Washington Township Country Club.

Installing officer for the Native Sons was John Pricco of Piedmont parlor and for the Native Daughters, Bernice Arbini of El Cereso Parlor, San Leandro.

Roumilda Rose served as chairman for the evening. Retiring recording secretary, Matilda Enos was presented a cameo brooch and past president Evelyn Garcia was presented a silver tray.

Dancing and refreshments followed the installation ceremonies. Officers installed for the Native Sons for the new year are:

President, Albert Silveria; junior past president, A. C. Monese; first vice president, Vernon Rose; second vice president. Harold Garcia; third vice president, James Nunes; recording secretary, Allen G. Norris; financial secretary, M. P. Mathiesen; treasurer, F. T. Dusterberry; marshal, Thomas Silva, Jr.; inside sentinel. Ed Vieirra; outside sentinel, Joseph Duarte; trustee, Thomas Silva.

For the Native Daughters:

President, Lucille Correa; past president, Margaret White; first vice president, Leotina Leal; second vice president. Constance Amaral; third vice president, Evelyn Piexoto; recording secretary, Roumilda Rose; financial secretary, Rose Piexoto; treasurer, Isabelle Ferry; trustees, Mary Dias, Mary Silva and Florence Maderios; outside sentinel. Madelyn Silveria; inside sentinel, Rosie Ramos; organist, Alfretta Clark.

LARGE CROWD IS ANTICIPATED AT LABOR DAY PICNIC

IRVINGTON — Despite the many other attractions offered over the three day week end holiday, the board of directors of the Irvington Men's Club is anticipating a large turnout at the Washington Township Recreation Day to be held at Cobble Crest Ranch in Niles Canyon next Monday.

Planned as an all day affair, the picnic will include a program of entertainment including dancing, various games and contests and an amateur show with competition for prizes.

FELLOWSHIP PLANS SOCIAL EVENT

NILES — The Young People's Christian Fellowship at their regular Sunday evening meeting discussed further plans for a social event to be held in the near future. A skating party and a box social were suggested. Genevieve Andre, president, presided.

The group's membership numbers over 20 and friends are invited to attend the meetings at any time.

INQUEST HELD IN WILDER DEATH

NILES — Accidental death caused by being overcome by monoxide gas was the verdict rendered at an inquest into the death of Milton Wilder, a resident of this community for many years who was found dead in his garage here about three weeks ago. held at the county coroner's office in Oakland Tuesday.

Wilder apparently had been changing a tire on his automobile when he was overcome.

EXPECT 300 PUPILS AT DECOTO SCHOOL

DECOTO — Approximately 300 pupils are expected to be enrolled at the opening of the Decoto Grammar School for the 1939-40 school year on Monday. September 11, according to L. W. Musick, principal.

The only new member of the faculty will be Miss Rita Frazer, teacher of music. She is a graduate of San Francisco State College and taught two years in the Newman school.

LADIES' GUILD LAUNCHES YEAR'S WORK AT PICNIC

NILES — The program for the year's work was launched on Wednesday at a picnic luncheon attended by 30 members of the Ladies' Guild of the Niles Congregational Church at the home of Mrs. E. A. Ellsworth, retiring president.

The newly elected president, Mrs. Henry Snell, took office for the first time. A sum of $56, raised by individual efforts of members during the summer vacation was turned into the Guild treasury.

On September 13, the Guild will meet at the home of Mrs. J. E. Thane with Mesdames James Whipple, W. H. Ford and Louie Hunt as hostesses.

Irvington District Buys First Bus And School Furnishings

IRVINGTON — Work of completing the new Irvington Grammar School building is being rushed in the hope of having everything in readiness for the opening of the new school year on Monday September 11. It was possible, however. that the board of trustees may have to delay the start of the session one week, to September 18.

The new school bus, the first to be operated by the Irvington School, has been ordered from Gillig Brothers of Hayward, the only bidders for the contract and delivery has been specified for September 8. It will be of 50 passenger elementary school type, with White motor.

Purchase of the bus was made necessary by combining the Mowry's Landing school district with the Irvington district last year. Pupils from that community, as well as those residing long distances from the school in the former Irvington district. will be accommodated. The board of trustees will meet in a few days to map out the bus route.

Joe Corey, a former member of the board, has been assigned the task of driving the bus. He has taken all the required examinations and has been found well qualified to perform the duties.

Also, specified for delivery by September 8, are the furnishings for the school building, including 200 universal desks, 10 cafeteria tables. and 300 steel tubular chairs for the auditorium. This furniture is being purchased from the American Seating Company, which submitted low bid among three San Francisco firms.

CLEANING UP AFTER SEWER INSTALLATION

DECOTO — The last of the pipe has been laid for the newly constructed Decoto Sanitary District's sewer system and the work of reconditioning the streets after necessary excavations is well underway.

Rock base and concrete surfacing is being replaced and excess dirt is being leveled or carried away. The entire clean up project is expected to be completed in another week.

SAN FRANCISCO MEN ARE INJURED

NILES — When their automobile failed to make a turn on the Santos road. about two miles from here at 5 p. m. Tuesday, and crashed into a telegraph pole, two San Francisco men were injured.

They are Frank B. Nixon. 536 14th st. and Thomas Gormley, 3669 23rd st., who were taken to the Fairmont Hospital in the Berge Mortuary ambulance. Gormley was found to have a broken shoulder, while Nixon escaped with a few scratches.

FIREMEN HOLD ANNUAL BARBECUE

PLEASANTON — The tenth annual barbecue and picnic was held here Tuesday evening by the Alameda County Association of Firemen.

Chief Crawford Letham and his crew of firemen provided speakers and entertainment.

Record Enrollment Seen At Washington High For This Year

CENTERVILLE — With an enrollment well over 700 assured, Washington Union High School will begin the 1939-40 school year on Monday, September 11. Opening two weeks later than in previous years, the opening day will be a full day session. it was announced by A. J. Rathbone. principal. Last year's enrollment was 661.

Purchase of a new 49 passenger bus, with White motor, from the Central Chevrolet Company of Centerville has been authorized by the board of trustees. This will bring the school's transportation equipment up to a fleet of seven buses, with its delivery the latter part of the month.

Bus routes will remain the same as at the close of school last year. However, all new students are cautioned to check the number of the bus in which they are brought to school so they will know they are on the right bus going home.

Several changes in the school's faculty have been made for the approaching term. Miss Helena Stockholm will replace Miss Antoinette Botelho as teacher of music. In the agriculture department, James Elsea has been engaged because of the resignation of Paul Dougherty. who will teach at San Luis Obispo. J. C. Clevenger. assistant to Dougherty last year, has been promoted to head of the department, with Elsea as assistant.

Miss Lois Shumway heads the girls' physical education department and will be assisted by Miss Gloria Griffin.

Miss Muriel Fournier of Niles has been elected temporary teacher and will be assigned to duty in the day and evening schools. She will teach English and dramatics in the day school and will assist Principal B. L. Webb in the evening classes, in addition to being in charge of student affairs in the evening.

To solve temporarily the need for additional class rooms, the art rooms have been moved to the old cafeteria building and the present art room will be used by the commercial department. Partitions are being moved in the old commercial department so as to provide three standard size class rooms, the work being done by E. E. Dias of Niles.

The new garage and warehouse building, construction of which was started last November, has been occupied during the summer vacation and the building formerly used for this purpose has been torn down. The new building sets farther removed from the other school buildings and the yard space at the rear of the school is thus greatly enlarged.

INTERNATIONAL PEACE IS SPEAKER'S TOPIC

NILES — "International Peace or International Trade" was the subject interestingly developed and accompanied by some well studied opinions by R. Rumwell of the International Business Machine Corporation at the regular luncheon and meeting of the Rotary Club at the Hotel Belvoir at noon Thursday.

Rumwell, the guest speaker of the day, is stationed at Treasure Island. during the International Golden Gate Exposition. He was presented to the club by George Mays, chairman of the entertainment program.

Notables Will Be Present At Eastbay Councils Gathering

CENTERVILLE —Great interest is being manifested in the annual district communion of the eastbay councils of the ninth and tenth districts of Knights of Columbus to be held on Sunday. September 24, at the Church of St. Paul, San Pablo.

The communion mass will be celebrated by Very Rev. Monsignor Egisto Tozzi, pastor of St. Paul's Church at 8:30 a. m.

Immediately following the communion, breakfast will be served at the Town Tavern, Richmond. Ernest Woodfeldt of Contra Costa council, who is chairman of the general committee. will act as toastmaster.

The principal speaker will be the Honorable Joseph Scott, K. S. G. of Los Angeles, well known orator and the first state deputy of the Knights of Columbus of California.

Many state and district officers of the order have signified their intention of being present, among whom are Walter A. Brown of Inglewood, state deputy of California; David Supple of San Francisco, supreme warden; Edward Molkenbuhr of San Francisco, past state deputy; Leo Keeney of Alameda. state secretary.

Invitations have been extended to representatives of city, county, state and nation and a very distinguished gathering is anticipated.

The 10th District, with Ernest Avelar as district deputy, includes Hayward, Centerville, Alameda and Magellan councils.

REGULAR HOURS SET FOR SERVICES IN NILES CHURCH

NILES — Beginning next Sunday, hours of services at the Niles Congregational Church will be set as follows:

Church School, 9:45 a. m.; morning worship and sermon, 11 a. m.; Young People's Christian Fellowship, 7 p. m.

Rev. R. C. Day, pastor, on next Sunday morning will attempt to answer the question, "Why Has Our Christian Faith Failed?"

A cordial invitation is extended to all to join in the social worship of God.

FARM WOMEN ENJOY PICNIC

ALVARADO — The annual picnic given by the Alvarado Farm Home Department on Wednesday of last week in Hayward Memorial Park, was attended by 20 members.

After serving of a delicious dinner consisting of turkey and all the trimmings, many interesting games were played. Mrs. Jesies Perry was chairman and had charge of arrangements, being assisted by Mrs. Amaral. Mrs. Geraldine Rogers, Mrs. Lyda Santos and Mrs. Mello.

EASTBAY PYTHIANS GREET CHANCELLOR

CENTERVILLE — A large delegation from Washington Township attended the joint convention of Eastbay lodges of the Knights of Pythias on Wednesday evening of last week at Oakland for the official visit of the Supreme Chancellor of the order, E. Lee Stapp of Miami, Fla.

The meeting was preceded by a dinner honoring the Supreme Chancellor given by Supreme Representatives. F. T. Dusterberry and S. J. Silverstein, at the Hotel Lake Merritt.

COMING EVENTS

Sept. 4—Irvington Men's Club Township Recreation Day at Cobble Crest ranch.
Sept. 7—Tangle & Twist Fishing Club meets.
Sept. 11—High School opens.
Sept. 11—Grammar Schools of Township open, except Warm Springs
Sept. 12—Country Club luncheon; 12:30.
Sept. 16—Newark Sportsmen's dance; Swiss Hall.
Sept. 18—Luncheon for Welfare Club, at Mrs. O. W. Ebright's.
Sept. 18—Warm Springs School opens.
Sept. 26—Centerville Grammar School P. T. A. meets, 2:30 p. m.
Oct. 7—Niles Firemen's Dance Palomar Ballroom.
Oct. 20—Centerville P. T. A. card party in school auditorium, 8 p. m.
Oct. 21—Decoto Firemen's Ball at Swiss Park.

THEME OF PEACE WILL FEATURE PROGRAM OF CLUB

CENTERVILLE — "Lights On in America", a theme of peace, will be the motif of the annual reciprocity luncheon of the Country Club of Washington Township on Tuesday, Sepeember 12 at 12:30 o'clock.

More than one hundred members and guests will view the program in which 15 women will participate, according to Mrs. F. T. Dusterberry and Mrs. George Coit, program chairmen. Lawrence Sherill of the San Francisco Opera Association will sing.

Reservations may be made with Mrs. Loren Marriott of Centerville, not later than Friday, September 8. Each member may bring a guest.

Decoto And Mission Win Opening Games Of Fireman League

CENTERVILLE — Inaugurating play in the newly formed Firemen's Softball League, including teams from all of the fire departments in the township. on Monday night at the high school, Decoto defeated Irvington 18 to 7 in the first game and Mission San Jose walloped Niles 17 to 10 in the night cap. Both were seven inning contests.

A schedule for the season has been drawn up and calls for two games a week until the concluding contest on September 22.

Score by innings:

Irvington	110	230	0—7
Decoto	203	067	X—18

Batteries: Irvington, Ed Harvey and Ed Rose; Decoto, Al Rodrigues and Walter Muniz.

Frank Silva hit a home run in the third inning, scoring two men ahead of him for Decoto. In the fifth, Wayne Day and Ed Harvey connected for the circuit, accounting for three Irvington runs.

The remainder of the schedule follows:

Aug. 31—Centerville vs Newark; Mission vs Irvington.

Sept. 5—Decoto vs Newark; Niles vs Centerville.

Sept. 7—Niles vs Decoto; Newark vs Mission.

Sept. 12—Mission vs Centerville; Niles vs Newark.

Sept. 15—Irvington vs Niles; Centerville vs Decoto.

Sept. 19—Decoto vs Mission; Newark vs Irvington.

Sept. 22—Irvington vs Centerville.

SERVICE PLANNED IN THANKSGIVING AT IRVINGTON CHURCH

IRVINGTON — Thanksgiving services, marking completion of an extensive remodeling and redecorating program which has been in progress on the building for the last several weeks, will be held in the Irvington Community Church on next Sunday morning.

Dr. Clifford M. Drury, professor of church history at the San Francisco Theological Seminary at San Anselmo, will deliver the sermon. Regular communion will be observed and Miss Thelma Van Ike will render a solo.

Carter McKemy is pastor of the church.

NILES FIREMEN SET DANCE DATE

NILES — Saturday night. October 7, has been selected as the date for the annual dance given by the Niles Fire Department. The affair will be held at the Palomar Ballroom.

Larry Sylva and his orchestra have been engaged for the music and Miss Ilene Wittenmyer will be featured as the vocalist. Door prizes will be awarded, according to Clarence Crane, assistant chief, who is handling the arrangements.

SCHOOL PRINCIPAL IS RECOVERING

ALVARADO — J. C. Wasley, principal of the Alvarado Grammar School who has been seriously ill for several weeks, is reported to be recovering nicely at his home here.

Future Farmers Win 55 Awards And Cash At Contra Costa Fair

CENTERVILLE—Future Farmers of the Washington High School Chapter returned home the first of the week from Contra Costa County Fair held at Antioch on August 24 to 27, where they won a total of 55 ribbons and cash awards aggregating $210 in the junior livestock and horticulture divisions.

In conjunction with Liberty Union High School at Brentwood, the Washington High Future Farmers were represented by a booth in which were displayed celery, tomatoes, onions, squash. figs, walnuts, prunes, apricots. beans and other fruits and vegetables.

In competition with the Farm Bureau and other agricultural organizations, the Liberty-Washington booth took third prize for a $75 cash award. The award was split between the two school chapters.

The 31 places in fruits and vegetables were awarded as follows:

Joe Kato, Warm Springs, 6 firsts and 5 seconds, exhibiting tomatoes. onions, celery and varieties of squash.

Lawrence Leal of Warm Springs, 7 firsts and 1 third, exhibiting walnuts, apricots, tomatoes, prunes and squash.

John Wallman of Centerville, 3 firsts and 4 seconds. exhibiting varieties of figs, sweet corn, rhubarb and pumpkins.

John Ura of Mission San Jose, 4 firsts and 1 second, exhibiting cantaloupes, lemons and beans.

First, second and third place carried a premium ribbon and cash awards of $2. $1.50 and $1, respectively.

The 23 livestock awards went to:

Joe Schelbert of Newark, first. third and fourth for grade Hampshire yew lambs; fourth for fat wether lamb.

Louis Sessa of Newark, first for Poland-China fat barrow; first, second and third for individual fat barrow.

Ed McNemar of Mission San Jose, first for senior Poland-China sow pig.

Bill Borba of Centerville, third for senior Poland-China sow pig.

Joe Kato of Warm Springs, first and second for junior yearling Poland-China sow; first and third for junior sow pigs; second and third for junior boar pigs.

Frank Rockenbacker of Centerville. first for Guernsey bull senior calf.

Elmer Leal of Newark. first for Holstein bull senior calf.

Lawrence Leal of Warm Springs first for Jersey senior yearling heifer; first for Jersey heifer calf.

Bill Borba of Centerville, first for grade Holstein heifer; first for Guernsey heifer senior calf; second for purebred Holstein senior yearling; first for grade Guernsey heifer junior yearling.

The Future Farmers were accompanied by their instructors, J. C. Clevenger and James Elsea of the high school agricultural department.

Patrons Of Alviso District Vote Bonds For School Building

ALVISO — With only three votes against the proposition out of a total of 85 votes cast, the electors of the Alviso School District were overwhelmingly in favor of the issuance of bonds to the amount of $25,000 for erection and equipment of a new school building at the election held at the school last Friday.

The new building will be rushed as soon as the proceeds from the sale of the bonds are available and it is probable it may be completed before the end of the approaching school year.

The special bond election was decided upon at a mass meeting of patrons of the school district after an inspection of the present building revealed that its condition was regarded as unsafe for further use.

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LABOR'S DAY

To its mighty army of workers, millions strong, America pays tribute on September 4 when working men and women celebrate their day—Labor's Day.

But in many cities of America, Labor's marching millions will parade, not in unity, but in divided ranks. The breach that split the house of Labor asunder a few years ago still persists, and this year as last, the nation's salute to the working man and woman will be coupled with the hope that soon-coming peace will heal the breach that has caused so much bitterness and strife.

The nation, as well as Labor itself, is paying the price of that discord. Noteworthy is this remark of a California newspaper editor: "It is not too much to say that this Labor Day dawns on an American labor movement facing the worst crisis in the 50 years since the Federation of Labor emerged victorious from its war with the old Knights of Labor."

That statement, significantly enough, was not made last week or last month, but in 1936! Yet today it remains still true. It finds corroboration in the failure of this year's A. F. L.-C. I. O. peace parleys, and in the assertion made a few days ago by Matthew Woll, prominent A. F. of L. official, that peace within Labor's ranks is now as far away as it ever was.

Hoping Labor will speedily achieve a statesmanlike peace, America proudly salutes her millions of working men and women without whom this great nation could never have been built.

PEAR MARKETING AGREEMENT IS NOW IN EFFECT

Effective last Saturday a marketing agreement program designed to assist winter pear growers of Oregon, California and Washington has been given approval by growers and handlers, the Division of Marketing and Marketing Agreements of the U. S. Department of Agriculture announced today.

A marketing order, supplementing the agreement and making it applicable to all handlers, was issued following approval of the program by growers voting in a referendum, and by the signing of the agreement by handlers.

Requested by members of the industry, the new marketing agreement and order replaces a similar Federal program which operated during the 1938-39 marketing season, and covers the handling in interstate commerce of Anjou, Bosc, Winter Nelis, Doyenne du Comice, Clairgeau and Easter varieties of pears.

Administration of the program will be carried out by a grower-shipper committee of 12 members and their alternates, comprising one grower and one shipper member and alternate from each of the two districts in each of the three states.

Major provisions of the new program are regulation of pear shipments by minumum grades and sizes named in the agreement; provision for changing such minimum grades and sizes after the first year of the program's operations; Federal-State inspection of pears shipped interstate or in foreign commerce; proration of administrative expenses among handlers; exemption of pears for gift purposes.

NEW SOPHOMORE PREXY FROM NILES

Bob Zwissig, now a student of the College of Agriculture at Davis, was elected president of the Sophomore Class at a meeting held by the class last Tuesday evening. Zwissig for the past year has been attending the California Aggies, where he has taken part in the school activities and functions.

The new class officers are Bob Zwissig, president; Jack Meek of Woodland, vice president and Glen Barnes of Visalia, secretary.

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Toast Wine Day

The New Folies Bergere on Treasure Island lent its prettiest —Pamela de Vorne— to toasting Wine Day, September 9. Here is Pamela pictured in the Wine Temple at the Golden Gate International Exposition, where plans are being rounded out for the observation of National Wine Week, September 10 to 17.

ALLOTMENTS FOR 1940 WHEAT PLANTINGS SENT TO GROWERS

HAYWARD — Notices of wheat allotments covering 1940 plantings have just been mailed out to wheat growers who have a record of wheat for grain on their ranches for either one or all of the years—1937, 38, 39, according to Herbert W. Young, chairman, Alameda County Agricultural Conservation Committee.

Any grower who does not believe he has received his just share of the allotted county acreage has the privilege of filing an appeal. Such appeal must be in writing and must be in the Alameda County Agricultural Conservation Ass'n. office, Room 11, Bank of America Bldg., Main and B Street,s Hayward, within 15 days of the date appearing on the notice of allotment, according to Mr. Young.

After the expiration of the 15 day period, it will be impossible to make any adjustments.

Gas Gas All Time

Mrs. Jas. Filler says: "Gas on my stomach was so bad I couldn't eat or sleep. Gas even seemed to press on my heart. Adlerika brought me quick relief. Now, I eat as I wish, sleep fine, never felt better."

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Walton's Pharmacy,—in Irvington by Pond's Pharmacy

Irvington Items

VACATION AT CAPITOLA

Mr. and Mrs. Martin Knudsen spent the past week in Capitola.

EXHIBIT AT ANTIOCH FAIR

Mrs. Bernice Cardoza and brothers attended the fair at Antioch Saturday entering three heifers in the livestock exhibition.

GUESTS HERE ON SUNDAY

Mr. and Mrs. Phil Dobyne and daughters of Berkeley spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. William Dargitz.

ATTENDING BUSINESS SCHOOL

Miss Sumi Ohye left for Oakland where she will attend Merritt Business school.

VISITOR FROM OREGON AT KENNELS

Father Walsh of Portland. Ore. was the guest of D. N. Bowley, manager of the China Clipper Kennels Wednesday of last week.

SUFFERS INJURY TO EYE

Fred Kohlmoos suffered an injury to his right eye while at work at the steel mill at Niles and was confined to his home for several days.

FORMER RESIDENT IS VISITOR

Mrs. Andy Nunes was in town last week to visit with friends and relatives. Mrs. Nunes was the former Evelyn Marshall who was recently married in Reno.

TONY DUTRA IS RECOVERING

Tony Dutra is home from the San Francisco Hospital where he has been confined since last April when it became necessary to perform an operation on his shoulder that was broken while at work. His condition is greatly improved and after two weeks he may be permitted to return to his work.

SPEND VACATION ON COAST

Mr. and Mrs. Anthony Silva and Miss Alberta Nunes spent last week vacationing in Santa Barbara and Los Angeles.

RETURN FROM NEVADA TRIP

Mr. and Mrs. George La Vier returned home after spending several days in Reno, Nevada.

SUNDAY GUESTS FROM HAYWARD

Mr. and Mrs. John Delgado of Hayward were the guests at the home of Postmaster and Mrs. M. C. Joseph on Sunday.

AT SAN LUIS OBISPO OVER WEEK END

Mrs. A. F. Santos spent the week end at San Luis Obispo.

SPENDING TWO WEEKS AT PISMO BEACH

Marie Brown is vacationing at Pismo Beach for two weeks.

HAVING DOGS CONDITIONED

C. H. Riffle of Red Mountain sent two fine pointers to the China Clipper Kennels where D. N. Bowley will train them for this fall.

HOME BOY IS BATHED IN GLORY

It was Dale Laybourn Day. Wednesday, August 23 when Erie's Sailors returned home from their last long stay of the 1939 Middle Atlantic League campaign and the young Erie, Pa. shortstop was showered with more than 30 gifts by fans who had come to admire him. One of the happiest lads at the athletic field that day was Dale because he also celebrated a birthday and along with the numerous gifts came a huge birthday cake from the Frich Baking Company and then to top it all the Erie's triumphed over the Senators in a 1-0 victory with Laybourn scoring one hit. Dale is a former Washington Union High School student and the son of Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Laybourn and from all reports in the sport world the young lad is making a name for himself and all his friends wish him a lot of success.

OBSERVE WEDDING ANNIVERSARY

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Amaral, Sr. celebrated their 36th wedding anniversary on Sunday with all of their children attending. Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Amaral, Mr. and Mrs. Tony Amaral and daughter of Pacific Grove. Mr. and Mrs. H. Enos of San Jose and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Amaral, Jr. and children, Eddie, George and Adeline of Irvington were present.

ENJOY STAY IN WOODLAND

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Benbow and children, Ebba Rae and Lester and Oliver Benbow. spent several days in Woodland.

WINS ANOTHER SPEEDWAY CUP

George Amaral took the trophy dash at the Oakland Speedway on Sunday winning another Cup.

CONCLUDES VISIT WITH AUNT

Miss Estelle Riley has returned to her home in Oakland after spending a few days with her Aunt and Uncle Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Hirsch.

GOOD FISHING AT JERSEY ISLAND

Marceline Rogers, Harold Garcia and Leonard Freitas spent last Saturday fishing at Jersey Island. All report good fishing.

LANDS NICE BASS IN SAN JOAQUIN

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Day and daughter, Phyllis. spent Sunday fishing on the San Joaquin river. A large number of catfish were caught and Mrs. Day pulled in a 4½ pound bass.

RELATIVES FROM SANTA ROSA

Mrs. Jennie Pherson and son, Arnold of Santa Rosa, are guests of her mother, Mrs. Mary Gillespie.

P. T. A. CONGRESS TO MEET MONDAY

The first meeting of the Sixteenth District, California Congress of Parents and Teachers, under the presidency of Mrs. E. W. Buxton of Martinez was held Monday. August 28, in Berkeley at the School of Administration Building, Milvia and Durant Sts.

It was a business session from 10 a. m. to 12 noon at which time the tentative program for the year as outlined by the program committee composed of Mrs. M. C. Godfrey, first vice president and the seven directors was presented to the members, and plans for the School of Instruction to be held on September 25 were discussed.

Fair's Carson

Kit Carson, one of several hundred historical characters portrayed in Cavalcade of the Golden West at the Golden Gate International Exposition, Treasure Island's million-dollar spectacle of the winning of the West, is shown above as played by Seth Wood, feature player at the Cavalcade production. Wood made his own buckskin costume, writes poetry, embroiders, cooks, and declares that Kit Carson's versatility encouraged him to be a jack of all trades.

EDWARD KETTMAN
Teacher of Piano
Box 72 Newark. Calif.

Decoto Doings

GUESTS OF RELATIVES SUNDAY

Mr. and Mrs. Archie Snyder of San Francisco visited at the home of relatives here on Sunday.

ATTEND WEDDING IN OAKLAND

Mr. and Mrs. Alwin Searles attended a wedding in Oakland on Saturday evening.

VISITING DAUGHTER IN PETALUMA

Mrs. Julia Silva is staying at the home of her daughter at Petaluma.

SEES BOXING BOUTS WEDNESDAY

Manuel Muniz attended the fights at the Oakland Auditorium on Wednesday night.

ENTERTAINS GUESTS SUNDAY

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Brioso and infant son of Los Banos and Mrs. Isabel Souza and daughter Lorraine, of Newman were guests at the home of Mrs. Mary Sequeira on Sunday.

ENTERTAINS FOR RELATIVES

Mrs. Rose Silva entertained relatives at her home on Friday afternoon.

NEWLYWEDS RESIDE IN TENNYSON

Henry Rebelle and his fiancee from Oakland were married in Reno on Saturday. They returned home Sunday and are residing in Tennyson.

WILL WED SUNNYVALE YOUTH

Miss Louise Paniagua of Decoto has announced her marriage in the very near future to a Sunnyvale youth.

SCHOOL WILL OPEN SEPT. 11

The pupils of the Decoto Grammar School will return to their class rooms on September 11.

ARMY SEEKING RECRUITS FOR DOMESTIC SERVICE

During the past month 16 men were accepted by the Army Recruiting Station Post Office Building, 13th and Alice Streets Oakland, for enlistment for domestic service at various posts on the west coast.

Applications are now being accepted for station in the Panama Canal Department, Hawaiian Islands, Fort Lewis, Vancouver Barracks and Fort George Wright, Washington; Fort Douglas, Utah; Fort Missoula, Montana; Fort Francis E. Warren. Wyoming; and the Presidios of San Francisco and Monterey, California.

Applicants must be single, without dependents, between the ages of 18 to 35 years, citizens of the United States, of good moral character and in good physical condition.

SCHOOL CAFETERIA OPENS TUESDAY

CENTERVILLE — Following opening of the 1939-40 school year on last Monday the cafeteria in the Centerville Grammar School will open on next Tuesday Sept. 5. A warm lunch will be served for 10 cents and a warm lunch and milk can be secured for 14 cents.

The cafeteria is sponsored by the school Parent Teachers' Association and the board of trustees as a service to the children and parents of the school district.

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APPLES (Shinner Seedlings or Banana)	6 for 15c
GRAPES (Seedless)	4 lbs. 10c
MELONS (Honey Dews or Casabas)	each 5c
GRAPEFRUIT (Wrapped Sunkist)	6 for 10c
STRING BEANS	3 lbs. 10c
ORANGES (Wrapped Sunkist)	2 doz. 15c
PEARS (Lake County Bartletts)	3 lbs. 14c
ONIONS (Red or Yellow)	5 lbs. 10c

HOT SAUCE (Taste Tells (limit 5))	5 Cans 10c
COFFEE (Edwards)	1-lb. Can 22c (2 lb. can 41c)
COFFEE (Airway)	2 1-lb. Bags 25c
MAYONNAISE (Piedmont)	Pint 19c (Quart 33c)
CORNED BEEF (Libby's — (limit 4))	No. 1 Can 14c
OLIVE OIL (Star)	½ Pint 19c (Pint 35c)
CERTO ((limit 2))	Bottle 15c
PINEAPPLE GEMS (Doles)	3 14oz. Cans 25c
WHEATIES (A delicious. wholesome breakfast cereal — (limit 3))	Package 7c
JELLO	4 Packages 17c
SALMON (Libby's or Del Monte)	Tall Can 18c
PEANUT BUTTER (Real Roast)	2-lb. Jar 22c

Newark Newsettes

N. P. C. RESUMES SERVICES

The Newark Presbyterian Church resumed its evening services after a summer vacation with Rev. Vernon Brown in charge.

ANNOUNCES ENGAGEMENT

Miss Mary Lewis, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Lewis. announced her engagement to Cecil Bettencourt, son of Mr. and Mrs. Anthony Bettencourt, both of Newark on Thursday evening. Both were graduates of Washington Union High School in 1935. Miss Lewis at present is employed at the Cloverdale Creamery, and Bettencourt is a rancher.

MEN VISIT MARTINS HERE

Stanley Martin and a friend of San Gabriel near Los Angeles stayed with Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Martin and family over the week end. They left Monday for San Francisco on a week's vacation.

VISITORS FROM SALT LAKE

Mrs. Laura Draper and Mrs. Mary Draper of Salt Lake City visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Trescott on Saturday.

HARVEYS RETURN TO L. A.

Mrs. Geneva Harvey and daughter, Mary Ann. returned to Los Angeles on Monday after spending several weeks at the home of Rev. and Mrs. Vernon Brown.

SPORTSWOMEN TO HOLD BANQUET

On September 20, the Newark Sportswomen Club will hold a banquet at Butlers Hotel in honor of several new members. Entertainment will be furnished by local talent. An initiation committee was appointed at Wednesday's meeting consisting of Mary Valles, Florence and Leona May. the last two also serving as hostesses for the last meeting.

VISITORS HERE FROM ETNA

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Green and family and Mr. and Mrs. Charley Green from Etna spent Thursday at Newark visiting Mrs. Ida Pedro and family.

YORK VISITS CHEMICAL PLANT

Bernard York of Antioch University visited the Newark Chemical Plant on Thursday. He is a chemical engineer.

AVILLA FISHES AT MONTEREY

Patrick Avilla spent the week end fishing at Monterey.

SARMENTO TO RETURN HOME

Ralph Sarmento, who has been spending the summer vacation in Oakland with Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Amaral, will return this week for the opening of school on Sept. 11.

MISS PINE VISITING RELATIVES

Myrtle Pine is spending a week visiting relatives in Los Gatos.

SILVAS HOME FROM GLENDALE

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Silva returned home Sunday after spending a week at Glendale.

GROUP VISITS AT NEVES HOME

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Rueben and Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Palmer of San Francisco and Mr. Fenner of Oakland spent Sunday visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. James Nevis.

GYGAX HOME WITH NEW AUTO

Frank Gygax returned home Saturday after spending two weeks at Chicago visiting relatives. At Detroit he purchased a new sedan in which he drove to Newark from the factory.

MERCHANTS DEFEAT FIREMEN

The Newark Merchants softball team defeated the Newark Fire Department on Sunday at the Newark School grounds by a score of 3 to 1.

SPEND SUNDAY AT SUNOL

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Brown and son, Robert. spent Sunday visiting at the home of Mr. Joe Silva of Sunol.

WARDS AT SAN DIEGO

Mr. and Mrs. John H. Ward and family left Sunday for San Diego on a short vacation.

SPORTSMEN WIN 6 TO 2

The Newark Sportsmen Club defeated the Peremint Club on Thursday evening by a score of 6 to 2 at the High School.

GROUP GO FISHING

Frank DeSalles of Niles, Clarence Soito and Manuel Fraga of Newark spent Saturday fishing at Big Brake.

ANDERS GO DEER HUNTING

Floyd Anders and son Floyd, Jr. spent Thursday deer hunting.

GROUP IN S. F. ON THURSDAY

Mrs. J. E. Pashote and son. Eugene, and Mrs. A. B. Moura of Centerville spent Thursday in San Francisco on a business trip.

FRAGULIA BUILDING NEW HOME

A new home is being built for Mr. and Mrs. Tony Fragulia on Olive street next to the Serpa residence with Art Cotton as building contractor.

MRS. SILVA RECOVERING

Mrs. Domingo Silva is recovering from a fractured arm sustained recently.

MISS SILVA VISITS FRIENDS

Miss Jeanette Silva spent the week end visiting friends at Hayward.

TREMBLAY HOME FROM CAMP

Ernest Tremblay returned home Friday after spending a week at Dimond Camp.

LANKFORD INJURES LEG

James Lankford, who was recovering from a left fracture. fell from his porch Saturday evening again seriously injuring his leg.

MRS. GLOVER RETURNS HOME

Mrs. Olive Glover returned to her home in Washington D. C. after visiting here several weeks with Mr. and Mrs. Arthur C. Silva.

GROUP ATTEND THEATRE PARTY

Ramona Mellow and Frank Mellow of Niles and Joy Brown attended a theatre party in San Francisco on Sunday.

BECKS HOME FROM MT. HERMON

William Beck and family returned home from Mt. Hermon on Sunday.

SPEND WEEK IN MOUNTAINS

Mrs. Eva Steinhoff and daughter Betty Jane. are spending the week in the Santa Cruz mountains.

SPENDS WEEK WITH DAUGHTER

Mrs. Anna Moore of Oakland spent last week with her daughter Mrs. Daisy Cooper.

MEN GO CATFISHING

Phil Rose and Clarence Soito spent Thursday catfishing at Sycamore Park.

WILL SPEND MONDAY AT MONTEREY

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Martel and daughter Laura and Mr. and Mrs. James Nevis will spend Monday at Monterey.

VISITS TWO WEEKS IN SAN FRANCISCO

Henry Marshall Jr. is spending two weeks in San Francisco with his mother, Mrs. Anna Marshall.

TAUTENHAHNS VISIT HERE

Mrs. Emily Tautenhahn and daughter, Mitzie of San Francisco visited with Mr. and Mrs. Joe Martel for a week.

MARSHALLS RETURN HOME

Mrs. Ann Marshall and daughter Gloria have returned to their home in San Francisco after spending a week in Newark with friends and relatives.

AT SANTA CRUZ SUNDAY

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Martel and daughter, Laura spent Sunday at Santa Cruz.

THOMPSONS MOVE TO LODI

Mr. and Mrs. Pete Thompson and family will move to Lodi to live in the future.

HOME FROM MARTIN'S BEACH

Mrs. Bob Calderia and children and Mrs. Manuel Perry spent last week at Martins Beach.

BERTOLOTTIS AT SANTA CRUZ

Mrs. Lena Bertolotti and family are spending a week at Santa Cruz.

NEW RESIDENTS HERE

Mr. and Mrs. A. Hird of Los Angeles are new residents of Newark.

MISS COSTA AT RIONIDA

Miss Louise Costa spent last week at Rionida.

VISITOR FROM WASHINGTON

Mary Egan of Elmsburgh. Wash. spent last week visiting with Mrs. Sam Scott.

EWER VISITS WITH AUNT

Rangval Ewer spent last week at San Francisco visiting with his aunt, Mrs. L. E. Hudson.

HOSTESS TO CLUB FRIDAY

The Stitch em up Club met last Friday at the home of Mrs. Arthur Biddle. Refreshments were served.

MRS. HEWITT VISITS MAYS

Mrs. Clyde Hewitt of Berkeley, the former Marcella Maffey of Newark, visited Leona May of Newark last week.

MACIEL AT SILVAS

Lloyd Maciel of Gustine spent last week visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Silva.

MARTIN RETURNS TO WORK

John Martin employed at the Ford Plant in Richmond. returned to work after spending two weeks at Newark with relatives.

PETE THOMPSON VISITS HERE

Pete Thompson of Redding spent last week with his family at Newark.

FINAL GAME THIS WEEK

The scores of the playoff series of the Washington Township Softball schedule are First game Monday evening, Native Sons 5 Wedgewood 3; first game, Wednesday evening, Wedgewood 2 Native Sons 0. The final game was to be played this week.

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RESIDENT HERE FOR 40 YEARS DIES SUDDENLY

NILES — Joseph King, a resident of this community for the last 40 years, who passed away suddenly at his home on Second Street Thursday evening of last week. was given final rites on Monday morning.

Funeral services were conducted from the Corpus Christi Church, with interment in the Holy Sepulchre cemetery at Hayward.

King was 70 years of age and a native of Fayal, Azore Islands. Surviving are the widow, Mrs. Rose King; two daughters, Mrs. Anna Bragg and Mrs. Rose Morris; a brother. Marion King; his mother in law, Mrs. Rose Nunes, all of Niles and six grandchildren. William and Betty Silva and Barney, Jr., Robert, Donald and Allen Bragg.

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Niles Notes

SPENDS WEEK END WITH FATHER

Mrs. R. B. Boyer of Oakland visited over the week end with her father, P. H. Moore of Niles.

VISITORS RETURN TO HOME IN L. A.

Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Kimball of Los Angeles, who have been visiting with P. H. Moore, have returned home.

VISITS SISTER OVER WEEK END

Mrs. Emily Rose of Glenn County spent the week end at the home of her sister, Mrs. A. V. Rose of Niles.

GUEST HERE FROM NEW YORK STATE

Mrs. Irma Campbell of Oriskany Falls, N. Y. is visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Dan Marble.

RETURN FROM STAY IN EAST

Mrs. Agnes Nihil and Miss Celeste Bunker have returned from an extended visit to New York City.

VISIT WITH SAN JOSE FRIENDS

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. McDonald and family visited friends in San Jose early this week.

GUESTS AT DINNER

Mr. and Mrs. Henri Salz were dinner guests of friends in Niles last week end.

BARBECUE AT LINDSAY HOME

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Lindsay entertained a group of friends at a barbecue this week.

VISITORS HERE FROM CHICO

Edwin Handley and Mrs. Agnes Handley of Chico are guests of Mrs. Roland Bendel.

GUESTS AT COLLEGE REUNION

Mrs. Winnie Bendel was a guest of Miss Charlotte Kerr of Palo Alto at a reunion of College of the Pacific friends.

RETURNS TO U. OF C.

Bob Kibby was among the students returning to the University of California.

CLUB WOMEN PLAN WORK

Mrs. Roland Bendel attended a meeting of the county chairman to plan club work for the year in Oakland on Thursday of last week.

MRS. MARTENSTEIN IS HOSTESS

Mrs. Clarence Martenstein entertained 10 county club women at luncheon at her home last week. Local women attending were Mrs. F. T. Dusterberry and Mrs. R. Bendel.

BACK FROM VACATION

E. Dixon Bristow and family have returned from a stay of several weeks in Marysville.

ENJOY STAY ON COAST

Mrs. Gladys Williamson and Margaret and Johnny Williamson returned Wednesday from a stay of several days at Capitola.

PROGRESSIVE LUNCHEON

Mrs. Frank T. Dusterberry of Centerville and Mrs. E. A. Ellsworth of Niles attended a progressive luncheon on Thursday at Hayward at which Mrs. Henry Dodge and Mrs. Emil May were hostesses.

HEAR AUDITION OF CLUB TALENT

Mrs. Frank T. Dusterberry, district president of the Washington Township Country Club, Mrs. Roland Bendel and Mrs. E. A. Ellsworth were present at an audition of women's club talent given Tuesday at the Ebell Club house in Oakland.

ST. JAMES MEN'S CLUB TO MEET

CENTERVILLE — A corned beef and cabbage dinner, will be followed by the first meeting of the fall season after the summer recess by the St. James Men's Club at the Memorial Hall on September 7.

All members are urged to attend as plans for activities of the winter season will be discussed.

BIG MONDAY PROGRAM AT NILES THEATRE

NILES—Playing over the Labor Day holiday at the Niles Theatre will be the big picture, "Andy Hardy Gets Spring Fever", featuring Lewis Stone and Mickey Rooney. On the same program, which starts Sunday will be Charles Bickford in "Romance of the Redwoods."

As a special attraction will be "Television", which demonstrates how this hearing and seeing apparatus will perform in the individual homes of the world when, and if it is perfected at some future date.

Centerville Jots

RETURNS FROM BOYS' CAMP

Jud Taylor, coach at Washington High School, has just returned from Dimond-O Boy Scout summer camp, where he served as a director.

NEW AG TEACHER TAKES BRIDE

James Elsea, new agricultural teacher at the high school who recently was married, has taken up residence with his bride in the Marcella Norris house.

SPEND WEEK END AT ECHO LAKE

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Clevenger and A. J. Rathbone joined Mrs. Rathbone at the Rathbone summer home at Echo Lake over the week end.

GUESTS FROM CANADA HERE

Rev. and Mrs. Loring Crothers of Hull, Canada, visited for a week in the home of Mr. and Mrs. F. T. Dusterberry. While here they attended the Golden Gate Exposition at Treasure Island and visited the Masonic Home at Decoto and Paradise Park at Santa Cruz. Rev. Crothers is a cousin to Mrs. Dusterberry and is deputy grand master of Masons of Canada.

ON VACATION THIS WEEK

Mr. and Mrs. H. B. White are enjoying a week's vacation. He is manager of the Centerville branch of the Bank of America.

RESUME STUDIES AT UNIVERSITY

Five students returned to the University of California this week to resume their studies. They included George Mathiesen, Robert Salz, Robert Coit. Helen Rogers and Doris Machado.

STARTS BUILDING OF NEW HOME

Fritz Waltenburger has started erection of a new home on his property on Thornton Avenue.

FORMER RESIDENT NOW IS PARENT

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Kane Scott announce the birth of an eight pound baby boy, James Walter, this week to local friends. Mrs. Scott is the former Miss Florence Aust of Centerville.

Niles Theatre

FRI. and SAT. Sept. 1—2
"TARZAN FINDS A SON"
with Johnny Weissmuller and Maureen O'Sullivan
"IN OLD MONTANA"
featuring Fred Scott

SUN. and MON., Sept. 3—4
"ANDY HARDY GETS SPRING FEVER"
with Lewis Stone, Mickey Rooney and Cecilia Parker
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featuring Charles Bickford

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